

## Message Text

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TO SECSTATE WASHDC NIACT IMMEDIATE 7832  
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DEPT FOR EAGLETON, EUR/SE

EO 11652:N/A  
TAGS CDES, TU, PINS, APER (ROSENTHAL, HAROLD  
SUBJECT RETURN OF REMAINS

REF ISTANBUL 3113, ISTANBUL 3121

CONGEN BELIEVES IT ESSENTIAL THAT DEPARTMENT, INFORM  
SENATOR JAVITS AND FAMILY, THAT MORTUARYDIRECTOR ADVISES AGAINST  
VIEWING REMAINS OF HAROLD ROSENTHAL BECAUSE OF  
SEVERE MUTILATION OF ENTIRE BODY, INCLUDING  
ONE SIDE OF FACE. DIRECTOR WAS ADVISED OF FAMILY  
REACTION TO AND HIGH-LEVEL INTEREST IN THIS DEATH, AND  
WAS AWARE OF THESE IN MAKING THIS RECOMMENDATION.  
ALSO LOCAL MORTUARY PROCEDURES, MATERIALS, AND  
SKILLS ARE NOT EQUAL OF BEST AVAILABLE IN  
UNITED STATES, EVEN AT BEST. BATJER

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## Message Attributes

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